

**Location of Specified Sections for Scanning**

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- **Request for Entrance of Response**

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered, and the remarks set forth below be considered, as responsive to the pending office action in this case, bearing the mailing date of December 12, 2002 (Paper No. 15) (“Office Action”).

- **Requests for Extension/ Fees Due**

Applicants request a one month extension of time to respond to the nonfinal Office Action. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee in the amount of \$110. Moreover, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 03-3975.

- **Format of this Response**

This response is submitted in compliance with the revised format for making amendments to the specification, claims and drawings officially adopted by the USPTO on July 30, 2003, and which is now reflected in 37 C.F.R. §1.121.